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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

STATE OF WASHINGTON, STATE OF
COLORADO, STATE OF
CONNECTICUT, STATE OF ILLINOIS
STATE OF MARYLAND, STATE OF
MICHIGAN, STATE OF MINNESOTA,
STATE OF NEVADA, STATE OF NEW
MEXICO, STATE OF OREGON, STATE
OF RHODE ISLAND, STATE OF
VERMONT, COMMONWEALTH OF
VIRGINIA, and STATE OF
WISCONSIN,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official
capacity as President of the United States
of America; UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA; LOUIS DEJOY, in his official
capacity as Postmaster General; UNITED
STATES POSTAL SERVICE,

Defendants.

No. 1:20-CV-03127-SAB

**ORDER SETTING BRIEFING
SCHEDULE AND HEARING
DATE**

1 On August 31, 2020, the parties submitted a Stipulated Scheduling Order
2 Regarding Discovery Responses and the Plaintiff States' Anticipated Motion for
3 Preliminary Junction, ECF No. 45.

4 The parties ask the Court to approve the proposed schedule and permit the
5 parties to file additional pages. Good cause exists to grant the parties' request.

6 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

7 1. The Court accepts and approves the parties' Stipulated Scheduling
8 Order, ECF No. 45.

9 2. The Court sets the following Schedule:

10 a. Defendants USPS and Louis DeJoy shall serve their responses to
11 Plaintiff States' First Interrogatories and Requests for Production of
12 Documents on or before Sunday, **September 6, 2020;**

13 b. Plaintiff States shall file their Motion for Preliminary Injunction on
14 or before Wednesday, **September 9, 2020;**

15 c. All briefs of amici curiae shall be filed by Friday, **September 11,**
16 **2020;**

17 d. Defendants shall file their response to Plaintiff States' Motion for
18 Preliminary Injunction on or before 9 a.m. PDT on Tuesday,
19 **September 15, 2020;**

20 e. Plaintiff States may file a reply in support of their Motion for
21 Preliminary Injunction on or before Wednesday, **September 16, 2020;**

22 f. Plaintiffs' Motion and Defendants' Response shall not exceed 60
23 pages. Plaintiffs' Reply shall not exceed 30 pages; and

24 g. The hearing on Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction is set
25 for **September 17, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., in Yakima, Washington.**

26 h. The parties are granted permission to appear by videoconference. If
27 a party intends to appear by videoconference, the party shall notify the
28 Court at least 48 hours in advance of the hearing. Due to the Court's

1 General Orders 20-101-9 limiting public access to the courthouse,
2 members of the public and press may listen to the proceedings by
3 using the following conference call line, 888-204-5984, access code:
4 6790153, five minutes before the scheduled conference time. Non-
5 parties on the call **MUST MUTE YOUR PHONES**. Hearing content
6 provided via videoconference or teleconference dial-in access **MUST**
7 **NOT** be recorded or rebroadcast.

8 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk of Court is directed to enter this Order
9 and forward copies to counsel.

10 **DATED** this 1st day of September 2020.



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17 Chief United States District Judge
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